Weir Robertson Down With Plague.

CASE ON NUUANU STREET

The Patient is Delirious But is Being Treated With the Newly-Arrived Pasteur Serum.

(From Saturday's Daily).

CASE OF PLAGUE

Weir Robertson, employe • ★ at Waterhouse's grocery store, was removed to the pest hospital from his residence in rear of Clarence Crabbe's premises on Nuuanu street, between Vine-yard and School streets. Was taken fill on Wednesday afternoon, but nothing suspicious was noted until late last evening when a bubo was observed in the groin.

Plague serum, received yester-day by the Board of Health from Dr. Carmichael of the Marine Hospital Service, was used last night for the first time in Hawali. Two bottles, or forty cubic centimeters of the fluid. were injected into the back of the patient, beneath the shoulder blades

J. Weir Robertson, an American employe of Waterhouse & Co., was taken to the pest hospital at 10 o'clock last night. Dr. Wood pronounced his a case

At 9:30 p. m. the physician in charge of Mr. Robertson sent a message to the Health Department that he considered his patient a suspicious case, and Dr. Wood personally responded to the call. Mr. Robertson was in a semi-delirious condition, his temperature registering 1041/2. A well-developed bubo was found in the right groin, and other symptoms such as vomiting and headache formed the basis of Dr. Wood's announcement of plague. The patient was accompanied to the pest hospital by Dr. Wood, who remained with him

until nearly midnight.

The latest victim lived in a fourroom cottage in the rear of Clarence Crabbe's residence on Nunanu street, between Vineyard and School streets. A lane leads from the street to the in-terior of the block. With the patient at the time of his removal was his 14-year-old daughter and a nurse, who has been attending him since Thursday. Both will be sent to Kalihi camp

The plague serum, which was turned over to the Board of Health yesterday by Dr. Carmichael of the Marine Hosby Dr. Carmichael of the Marine Hospital Service, was used in this case for the first time on a plague patient in Hawall. The two doses were administered in the presence of Drs. Wood and Day, by Dr. Garvin. Said the latter:

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Day of the Marine Hospital the perishable freight consisting of fruits on the feet; lath, 65c to 80c per bundle; split redwood posts, 20c each; lime, per barrel, \$3; cement, per barrel, \$3; cement, per barrel, \$4.50; brick, per 1,000, \$18 to \$20; cut nails, 20d per keg, \$4.25. Add delities translation in the perishable freight. Consisting of fruits on the feet; lath, 65c to 80c per bundle; split redwood posts, 20c each; lime, per barrel, \$3; cement, per barrel, \$4.50; brick, per 1,000, \$18 to \$20; cut nails, 20d per keg, \$4.25. Add "I injected two bottles of the Pasteur anti-pestique serum, or forty cubic centimeters in all, two doses, into the man's back beneath the shoulder blades. It was a fortunate thing the serum arrived today, as we will be able to give it a fair trial. Mr. Robertson will be watched carefully through the night, his temperature taken every hour, and every symptom observed to watch the effect."

Mr. Fred. Waterhouse was seen last night, and spoke of Mr. Robertson having met with an accident on Tuesday last, which he thought may have caused the present sickness of the pa-tient. "On Tuesday Mr. Robertson went upstairs in the store," said Mr. Waterhouse, "to get a large box of can-dy. In tipping the box over from its elevated position he tripped backwards over a bag of coffee, and the box, weighing fully 100 pounds, fell direct-iy upon his abdomen. The next morning he said he felt sore, that was all. That evening he complained of being ill and he was sent home. Mr. Robertson has been in this city for more than twenty years and has been with the Waterhouse stores for nearly eighteen years. If he has the plague, it is a mystery to me how he caught it, for he always stayed at home in the even-

Armstrong Smith, who ent into quarantine yesterday morning, once more volunteered his services when he learned of the new case of plague, and is now again on duty in the pest hos-

pital.

The medical fraternity will watch developments in Mr. Robertson's case with interest on account of the trial be-ing given the new serum. The prophylactic serum was injected into a Guinea pig last evening, and today President Wood will offer himself for the first injection of the fluid. The rest of the physicians on call at the Health Office will also be subjects for injec-

No death certificate has been issued in the case of Wong Chin, who died

on the localing shall have been first a to the acrest level. The Rimed fur her requires that all estimations for conveyance of waste matters from said intinity, by made direct with the sewerage system. The motion pre-

Mr. Cooper presented maps and re-ores from Santiary Engineer Edwards in regard to the proposed changes in the direl running through Kewalo distriet to the low lands. The changes proposed by Mr. Edwards consisted of elevating the channel through which the water would flow, Mr. Hatch, however, felt that there was no reason for a succinct statement of mercantile conchanging the Board's original resolu- ditions

from near the corner of King and ties South streets to the ocean in the neighborhood of the kerosene warehouse, is, in the opinion of the Board of Health, a source of fith and cause of sickness, and that notice be given to the Minister

The engineer's report was accepted and the Board moved that the recom-mendations of the report be submitted

to the Minister of Interior.

Communications from the French Consul regarding the plague serum, for which he had written to Paris after the outbreak of plague in this city, were

A communication from the Rev. W. K. Azbill, proprietor of the Queen hotel relative to the use of the latter by the Board of Health. The writer stated be fulsome, in view of such recognized that according to the Board's resolution by which the hotel temporarily became government institution, the word lease" was incorporated therein. The

A letter from Rev. Parker of Kawalahao church was read which con-tained the suggestions of the Trustees relative to what repairs and work should be done to the church to restore it to its former state. So ordered. A petition from residents of Emma

and Beretania streets regarding the insanitary condition of the Chinese shacks on the corner, which appeared in yesterday's Advertiser, was read. No action was taken, as the lessee had been given until today to place his premises in a sanitary condition.

Appointment of Captain Campbell as

Health Agent for the waterfront was approved by the Board. Mr. Smith made a motion to allow the churches to open tomorrow. Mr. Lowrey thought that by adopting such a course, all places of amusement should be allowed the same privilege; and Mr. Smith withdrew his motion. The opinion was freely expressed that The opinion was freely expressed that churches and other places affected by the original resolution should renain closed at least for another week

Merchandise on Wharves.

President Wood stated that the excutive agent of the Board had communicated with the Custom House in relation to perishable freights lying on the wharves, which was at present spoiling. The agent desired the Cusbe destroyed.

definite instructions in matters pertain-ing to certain bills.

It was moved that the Finance Com mittee should have full auditing powers to question any bill, or pay it in full, or have it approved by some head of department, all to be paid out of the ap-propriation passed by the Council of

State. So carried, Mr. Hatch moved that George R. Carter be authorized an agent of the Board to approve all bills for materials, and make final approval of bills before they are handed in to the Minister of In-terior, and that F. B. Damon be authorized to approve pay-rolls. Carried.

A bill approved by Superintendent of Public Works Rowell for \$513 for a scow ordered by the Board of Health before the plague broke out, was or-

dered paid.

Mr. Thurston requested information as to when the Board intended to raise quarantine. He asked whether the Board intended establishing an interim

period of twenty-one days before rais-ing the quarantine.

Dr. Wood replied that it might pos-sibly be more nearly thirty-one days.

President Wood stated: "We have tried to avoid setting a time in regard to all quarantine matters. We don't, however, wish the volunteer inspectors discontinuing their work, as we wish this to go right along. This inspection is one of the best policies yet inaugurated."

The question of building permits again came up for discussion. The Board considered that the matter should be given into the hands of the Superintendent of Public Works, as the

Board had adopted sanitary regulations covering the erection of buildings.

In the application of S. M. Damon, agent for the Austin Estate buildings on King street, opposite the Advertiser office, to have the same destroyed by fire under direction of the Board. No

Mr. Lowrey introduced the following resolution: "That notice be given the property owner on Beretania and Pen-sacola streets, known as Tai Kee's, that

sacola streets, known as Tai Kee's, that all cesspools and vaults on said premises made and if death was caused by plague that fact will be known some in the slides made for the microscope.

Board of Health Meeting.

Yesterday's meeting of the Board was attended by President Wood, George W. Smith, Dr. Day, F. M. Hatch, F. J. Lowrey, Attorney-General Coop-

Mercantile Conditions In January.

Business Fairly Good--Mortgag Indebtedness Largely Increased. Advance in Staples.

for January.

We will not dwell upon details of the plague, but will confine this report to

tion regarding the ditch.

It was stated by Mr. Cooper that the cost for doing this work would come out of the appropriation of \$275,000 for sewerage, if the work was commenced and completed before March RL.

The unbiased estimate of fire damages will reach one million doilars. Clams have been forwarded to the home offices by local underwriters. The present Government has also sought Upon motion of Mr. Hatch, it was re-solved that the drainage ditch leading advice from the United States authori-

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Building Permit.

W. W. Ahana, 1-story cottage, Dow resolution should have contained the sett lane, \$900; E. A. Jacobson, I-story word "use" in lieu taereof. The Board cottage, Ewa side Pensacola street, expressed its opinion that Mr. Azbill \$1,000; F. E. King, 7 cottages on Bickwas not to blame in matter, and upon erton premises. \$6,300; F. Harrison, motion the word "use" was substituted Government warehouse, makal side Queen street.

Real Estate

The mortgaged indebtedness of the islands has increased since our last report \$205,332.

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Building Material Prices. To take effect January 19, 1900:

Northwest rough, \$26 to \$32.50 per .000 feet; selected stock, \$32.50 to \$38.

0 per 1,000 feet; T. and G., \$35 to \$37 50 per 1,000 feet; redwood rough, \$27.50 to \$32.50 per 1,000 feet; clear surfaced tom House to remove it or allow it to one side, \$35 to \$37.50 per 1,000 feet spruce, clear surfaced, \$40 to \$42.50 per 1,000 feet; shingles, \$3 to \$4 per 1,000

The Dowsett Company, Limited, The Hilo Electric Power & Refrigerating Company, Limited, City Stables & Supply Company, Limited, Inter-Island Telegraph Company, Limited.

Produce Quotations--Trade Prices. Oats, per ton, \$35 to \$37.50; barley

per ton, \$26.50 to \$27.50; hay, bale, \$5 to \$6 bran, per ton, \$26; hams and bacon, 15c to 17c; sugar peas, \$1.50, S. F.; barrel salmon, \$12 to \$14, Honolulu; wheat, per pound, 1%c to 2c; flour, per barrel, \$3 to \$4.50; Island rice, \$6 to \$6.75; sugar, 4%c; California potatoes, 3c to 3½c; table fruits, dozen, \$2, S. F.

Immigration. Following are the arrivals during the past month: Arrivals.Departures. Foreigners 123 Japanese 1,648 Chinese

Total 1,789 173 AN EDITOR'S LIFE SAVED BY CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH

REMEDY. During the early part of October, 1896, I contracted a bad cold which settled on my lungs and was neglected | until I feared that consumption had appeared in an incipient state. I was | constantly coughing and trying to expel something which I could not. I became slarmed and after giving the fire under direction of the Board. No defin'te action was taken. The Board local doctor a trial bought a bottle of feels there is too much risk to burn the property as requested. result was immediate improvement, and after I had used three bottles my lungs were restored to their healthy state.—B. S. Edwards, Publisher of The Review, Wyant, Ill. For sale by



POINTS WHERE THE BOERS BLOCKED THE BRITISH. The black horizontal lines show the places where British forces have been blocked belonguered by the Boers. Chief interest at present centers around these points, erals Hart and Lyttleton are brigade commanders under Buller. General Warren manners the Fifth division, which was despatched to the support of General Methuen.

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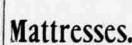
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